

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re the application of:** Luithle *et al.*

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**For:** 2-HETEROARYL CARBOXAMIDES

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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 15, 2010 Applicant hereby submits the following remarks. A Petition for Extension of Time for one (1) month, from April 13, to and including Monday, May 17, 2010 is submitted herewith.

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